CHAMPION INDUSTRIES INC Form 8-K March 18, 2015

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(D) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported) March 16, 2015

Champion Industries, Inc.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

West Virginia (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

> (Commission File No.) (IRS Employer Identification No.)

2450 First Avenue P. O. Box 2968

Huntington, West Virginia

(Address of Principal **Executive Offices**)

(Zip Code)

25728

(304) 528-2700

(Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

Not Applicable

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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- 0 Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN THE REPORT

Section 5 – Corporate Governance and Management

Item 5.07 Submission of Matters to a Vote of Security Holders.

At the annual meeting of shareholders of Champion Industries, Inc. (the "Company") held March 16, 2015, the following matters were voted upon:

a) Fixing the number of directors at seven (7) and election of the following nominees as directors, with votes "for" and "withheld", as well as broker non-votes, as follows:

Director	Votes "For"	Votes "Withheld"	Broker Nonvotes
Louis J. Akers	7,886,804	150,080	-0-
Philip E. Cline	7,981,734	55,150	-0-
Harley F. Mooney, Jr.	7,878,971	157,913	-0-
A. Michael Perry	7,919,404	117,480	-0-
Marshall T. Reynolds	7,980,434	56,450	-0-
Neal W. Scaggs	7,886,073	150,811	-0-
Glenn W. Wilcox, Sr.	7,886,604	150,280	-0-

b) To approve, in an advisory (non-binding) vote, the Company's executive compensation disclosed in the proxy statement for the annual meeting.

Votes "For"	Votes "Against"	Abstentions	Broker Non-Votes
7,924,291	96,731	15,862	-0-

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SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

CHAMPION INDUSTRIES, INC.

(Registrant)

/s/ Justin T. Evans

Date: March 18, 2015 Justin T. Evans, Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

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